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# California Dahlias



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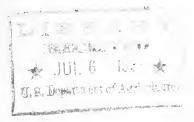


–Grown in California Sunshine

1927 PRICE LIST

F. C. MULKEY'S
DAHLIA GARDENS

3863 South Hobart Boulevard LOS ANGELES, CALIF.



# Price List of Dahlias

Grown and Offered For Sale bu

## FRANK C. MULKEY

3863 South Hobart Boulevard, Los Angeles, Calif.

TO MY FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS:

In presenting to you my seventh Annual Catalogue, I desire to express my thanks for past favors, and will endeavor to merit your confidence in the future by sending out only first-class stock true to name. Should any prove otherwise, it will be cheerfully replaced.

SEED

Probably the most fascinating part of growing dahlias is to be derived from growing them from seed. From seed, all of the new varieties are obtained. They are seldom like the parent plant, either in form or color, and one never knows when he will get a prize winner. Many of the finest dahlias of today were produced from seed grown by amateurs and sold to commercial growers for fancy prices. Each year I have a small amount of seed in excess of my requirements that I release to my customers. This seed is all hand-picked and cleaned, and is selected from the highest type parents. It is expensive to produce, and sells for \$2.00 per hundred seeds for the large types, and \$1.00 per hundred for the pompon and collarette types. This seed may be had from individual parents or mixed. Please state whether you desire Decorative, Hybrid Cactus, Cactus, or Peony types. Plants from seed will bloom and produce good clumps of tubers the first year.

Terms: Cash or references from unknown persons.

Transportation: I prepay charges on all retail orders. Wholesale orders, F. O. B. Los Angeles. No charge for packing.

Substitution: I do not substitute without permission.

Forwarding: Tubers are shipped after danger of frost is passed, unless expressly ordered otherwise, then at purchaser's risk.

Prices Quoted: Are for strong field-grown divisions, and are guaranteed to be in growing condition when shipped.

Complete cultural directions are enclosed with each order.

Member: American Dahlia Society, Dahlia Society of Southern California, Dahlia Society of California.

#### TROPHIES WON

My Dahlias won two silver cups, one gold, one silver and three bronze medals, several ribbons and cash prizes, at the Los Angeles shows during the past two seasons. With the keen competition always encountered at Los Angeles shows, it takes Dahlias of real merit to win.

### NON-GUARANTEE CLAUSE

While we guarantee all tubers purchased to be true to name and description as grown by us, there are so many contingencies to be encountered in growing and in setting out tubers and plants that are dependent on the weather and other conditions over which we have no control that success in planting is not altogether dependent on seed, tubers or plants. We will send out only such seed, tubers or plants which we believe will grow and produce the kind of plant and variety represented, but we give no warranty, expressed or implied, as to the quality, productiveness or any other matter of any seed, tubers or plants we send out, and we will not be responsible for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods on these terms, they are at once to be returned.

MULKEY'S DAHLIA GARDENS.

ALEX. WALDIE, Pink and cream. Large and good.\$	.75
AL KORAN, Large yellow shading to amber	2.00
APPELBLOESEM, Shell pink (imported)	1.00
APPELBLUESEM, Shell plink (Imported)	
AZALEA, Large, cream and pinkBOB NEWCOMB, Deep royal purple	.75
BOB NEWCOMB, Deep royal purple	2.00
BOB PLEUSE, Maroon, white tips	2.00
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CAPOLYN WINTGEN Shell pink	.75
CAROLYN WINTGEN, Shell pink	.75
CATHERINE WILCOX, White, tipped lavender	0.70
	2.50
CLAUDE HARLAN, Large, light lavender	2.50
CREAMO, Large, creamy yellow	.50
DAINTY, Vellow, edged rose. Fine cut flower	.75
DELLA POTTER, Lavender and cream	.50
EADI WILLIAMC Ded timed white Very stuiling	1.00
EARL WILLIAMS, Red tipped write. Very striking	1.00
EARL WILLIAMS, Red tipped white. Very striking EVELYN ADAMSON, Salmon pink. Very large	.75
EVELYN M. DANE. One of the new pinks FAITH GARIBALDI, Mammoth new lavender pink.	1.00
FAITH GARIBALDI, Mammoth new lavender pink.	
Very fine	5.00
Very fineGLORY DE STAMHUIS, Buff. Imported	1.00
HALLOWEEN Duff and anames Condows flower	.50
HALLOWEEN, Buff and orange. Good cut flower HARRY DAVIDSON, Mulberry. Long stems	
HARRY DAVIDSON, Mulberry. Long stems	.50
HURTULANUS FIET, Shell pink	75
ISABEL STREET, Yellow and pink, tipped white	.75
JACK LONDON, Bright red. Tall grower	.50
IAME SEIRV Large layender nink	.75
JANE SELBY, Large, lavender pink	3.00
JEAN ROUSEVELL, Deep salmon. very good	
JERSEY'S BEAUTY, Finest of the true pinks	2.00
JUDGE ALTON B. PARKER, Large, deep buff	.75
JUDGE ALTON B. PARKER, Large, deep buff J. W. DAVIES, Purple rose. Very fine	1.50
KALLISTE, Large, red, tipped gold. Long stems	
and fine	2.00
TELEPORTE DITING A D. A D	
KITTY DUNLAP American Beauty rose	1.50
and fine	
bloomerLE GRANDE MANITOU, Purple and white	1.00
LE GRANDE MANITOU, Purple and white	.35
LEX LORD, Maroon and white. Large	1.50
LIBERTY BOND, Salmon. Free bloomer	.50
THING GOLD D. I	
LIVING GOLD, Rich golden yellow  MEPHISTOPHELES, Ruby red with tiny white tips  MIDNIGHT, Deep maroon. Never shows center.  Extra good  MILLIONAIRE, Large, lavender pink	1.00
MEPHISTOPHELES, Ruby red with tiny white tips	.75
MIDNIGHT, Deep maroon. Never shows center.	
Extra good	2.00
MILLIONAIRE Large lavender pink	.50
MOON CLOW Primress adead number	.50
MOON GLOW, Primrose edged purple	
MES. 1. DE VER WARNER, Large, mauve pink	1.00
MR. CROWLEY, Salmon and pink	1.00
MRS. CARL SALBACH, Large, mauve pink. Good.	50
MRS. O. D. BALDWIN, Deep rose	.50
MYRA VALENTINE Copper and bronze Fine	2.00
NOBILIS, Red and white. Good	1.00
OLD GLODY District Good	
OLD GLORY, Rich red, white markings	.75
ORANGE BOVEN, Fine large orange scarlet	1.00
PA FENTON, Bright cerise. Good stems	.50
RED INSULINDE, Red. Same form as Insulinde	1.00
ROOKWOOD Bright cerise rose Very fine	3.00
ROOKWOOD, Bright cerise rose. Very fine ROSA NELL, Bright rose. Very large	
COORDING OHIER Assets 1	.73
SCUTTISH CHIEF, Amber and cream	.35
SCOTTISH CHIEF, Amber and creamSHUDOW'S LAVENDER, Fine lavender and white.	2.00
SNOWDRIFT. One of the best whites	.50
SOUVENIR GUSTAVE DOAZON, Orange scarlet.	
Large	.35
00	,00

SUNSHINE, Red, gold tipped. Very showy.  PRYPHANNIE, Pink, resembling water lily.  W. E. COOPER. Very fine large pink. Excellent  WORTHMORE, Purple and white. New  WIZARD OF OZ, Large amber and pink. Very fine.:  YELLOW ASTER, Creamy yellow, reflex petals  YELLOW PRINCE, Very large yellow. True decorative type  YSLETA, Buff and bronze. Vigorous grower	,50 ,75 1,00 1,50 1,50 3,00 ,75 1,00 ,50
CACTUS DAHLIAS	
ALICE VOISSINET, (Hybrid) Bronze and copper.	2 00
New	3.00 1.00
BERTHA VON SUTTNER. (Hybrid) Pink	.50
BETTY AUSTIN, Yellow base, outer petals pink	.75
BETTY AUSTIN, Yellow base, outer petals pink BETTY B., (Hybrid) Cream and salmon. New and	
good	1.50
CALIFORNIA BEAUTY, Deep orange. Good stems.	.75
C. B. GITHENS, Large yellow. Fine stems	1.50
CINDERELLA, (Hybrid) Cream and pink. New and good.  CLAREMONT, Pink. Long stems  CONTRAST, Red and white. Medium size  DADDY BUTLER, Rose, reverse silver. Very at-	2.00
CLAREMONT Pink Long stems	.50
CONTRAST, Red and white. Medium size	.35
DADDY BUTLER, Rose, reverse silver. Very at-	
tractive	1.50
EAST WE GO, Large, golden amber	1.50
	5.00
ELIZABETH B. FITLER, Deep Royal Purple. New	1.50
	.75
EXOUISITE. Vellow center outer petals nink	1.00
F. W. FELLOWS, Best orange cactus	.75
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GOLDEN WEST, Yellow to orange. One of the best	.35
HELEN DURNBAUGH, Pink, white center	.50
JEAN CHAZOT, Orange to copper. Fine French	1 00
	$1.00 \\ 1.00$
LA FAVORITA (Hybrid) Rich orange	.75
LOLITA VELASCO. Good pure white	1.50
MAGNIFICENT, Salmon and pink	.50
MARIPOSA. Fine large lavender pink	2.50
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Eine stame	1.00
Fine stems  MRS. STERN, Light lavender.  MIBELUNGENHORT, Salmon pink. Good bloomer.  MORMAN. Fine large deep red. Straight petals, good stems.  PENNANT, Orange. Similar to F. W. Fellows  PIERROT, Amber, with white tips. One of the best	.50
NIBELUNGENHORT, Salmon pink. Good bloomer.	.50
NORMAN. Fine large deep red. Straight petals,	
good stems	.50
PENNANT, Orange. Similar to F. W. Fellows	.50
PIERROT, Amber, with white tips. One of the best	.59
	1.50
White tips	.50 .50
white tipsQUAKER, White, shading to pinkRHEINISCHER FROHSINN, Rose, tipped white	.50
RUDMAN WANAMAKER, (Hybrid) Pink with vel-	
low center. Large	3.50
low center. Large	
stemsSUZANNE, Cream to mauve	1.00
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TALISMAN, Brownish red, reverse tan. Very odd combination	1.50	
	1.00	
PEONY DAHLIAS	1.00	
BILLIONAIRE. Very large, orange\$	.50	
BLUE BIRD, Deep lavender. Large and with good	.00	
stem	.75	
BLOSSOM, White and pink	.50	
CHANSON, Deep purple	.75	
CITY OF PORTLAND, Large, fine yellow	.50	
DR. PEARY, Deep maroon	.50	
ELSA, Pure white. Free bloomer	.50	
ERIC BARCLAY. New large lavender. Good stems,	-	
free bloomer	.75	
	1.50	
-	1.50	
MADAME VARD, Scarlet and gold. Dwarf grower.	.50	
MY LADY, Maroon shading to pink	.50	
PEARL RUGGLES, Pink, rose and white. One of		
	1.50	
PERRY WEIDNER, Bright scarlet. Blooms early		
and late	.75	
QUEEN ESTHER, Bright red. Large	.50	
THELMA JORGENSEN, White and gold	1.00	
UNCLE SAM. Large buff and orange	1.50	
U. S. A., Golden orange	.75	
VIRGINIA HARSH. Very large pink. New and fine	1.50	
COLLARETTES		
ABBE HOUGENARD, Deep rose\$		
AMI NONIN, Dark rose	.50	
ARGONNE, Fine Bergundy	.50 .50	
DORA FISHER, Double pink	.50	
GIL RLAS Rose added primrose Fine	.50	
INNOCENTIA, Best White SILVER MEDAL, Red, edged white	.50	
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SOUV. BELLE ACCUEL, Fine large orange	.50	
SWALLOW, Pure white	.50 .50	
WM. WELCH, Very large yellow	.50	
	.00	
SHOW DAHLIAS		
A. D. LIVONI, Small pink\$	.25	
BETTY BIRD, (Hybrid) Very fine, deep pink	3.00	
CLARA SEATON, Large orange	.50	
DREER'S WHITE, Beautiful white, quilled petals	.50 .75	
GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY, Large golden orange SILVER QUARTA, New lavender, double petals.	.19	
Very odd	3.00	
SINGLES		
	25	
AMI BARRILET, Garnet, purple foliage\$ UNION JACK, Red and white striped	.50	

### **POMPONS**

ACE OF DIAMONDS, Good scarlet	.35
ACHILLES. Large pink	.35
ADELAIDE, White and mauve. Large	.35
ADMIRAL DOT. Large lavender	.25
ALEWINE, White and pink. Large	.35
AMBER QUEEN, Golden amber	.35
ANNIE DONCASTER, Yellow base, edged pink.	
Small	.35
ARIEL. Large buff	.35
ARTHUR KURLEY. Fine maroon	.35
ADRIENNE, Scarlet, reverse gold	.35
AIMEE. Smallest perfect orange	.50
BACCHUS. Bright scarlet	.35
BILLIE FLETCHER. Smallest pompon, Bright rose	.50
BRONZE BEAUTY. Large rich buff. Good stems	.35
CATHERINE. Large yellow	.35
DANDY. Fine orange. New	.50
DARKEST OF ALL, Maroon, almost black	.35
DEAREST, Bright rose, reverse silver. Large. Good	.00
stems	.50
DEE DEE. Best small lavender	.50
DELICACY, White, edged purple	.35
DONOVAN, Mauve and white	.35
DORIS, Cream. Fine form	.35
EUNICE, Lavender and white	.35
FAIRY QUEEN, Creamy yellow	.35
GANNYMEDE, Pink, edged yellow. Very fine	.50
GLOW. Fine salmon rose	.50
GOLDEN QUEEN, Deep yellow. Quilled petals.	.90
Large	.35
GOLDIE, Golden orange. New	.50
HARRY SNOOK. Fine pink. Long stems	.50
HECKLA. Best white.	.35
HELEN LAMBERT, Rich yellow	.35
JAZZ, New dark red. Good stems	.50
JOE FETTE. Good white. Large	.35
PURE LOVE. Large, deep lavender	.35
MADELINE, Yellow, edged rose. Good	.35
MARS. Bright red	.35
NEATNESS, Salmon pink	.35
NELLIE BROMHEAD, Mauve pink. Good form	.35
PERFECTION. Large lavender	.35
PHOEBE. Large orange	.35
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STULL VON BERLIN. Large pure pink, Fine for	.50
cuttingSUNNY DAYBREAK, Yellow, edged red	.35
TINY TIM. Very small pale pink	.50
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TULLA, Deep wine	.35
WINIFRED, Pale lavender	.35 .35
ZOE, Yellow, tipped white	.35

